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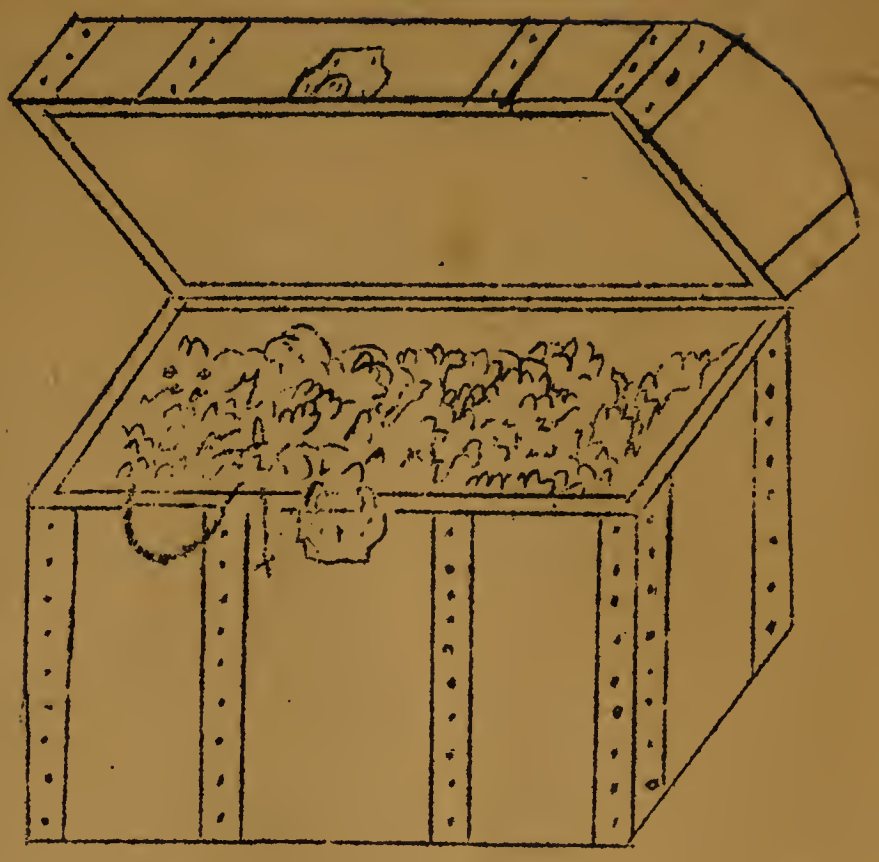

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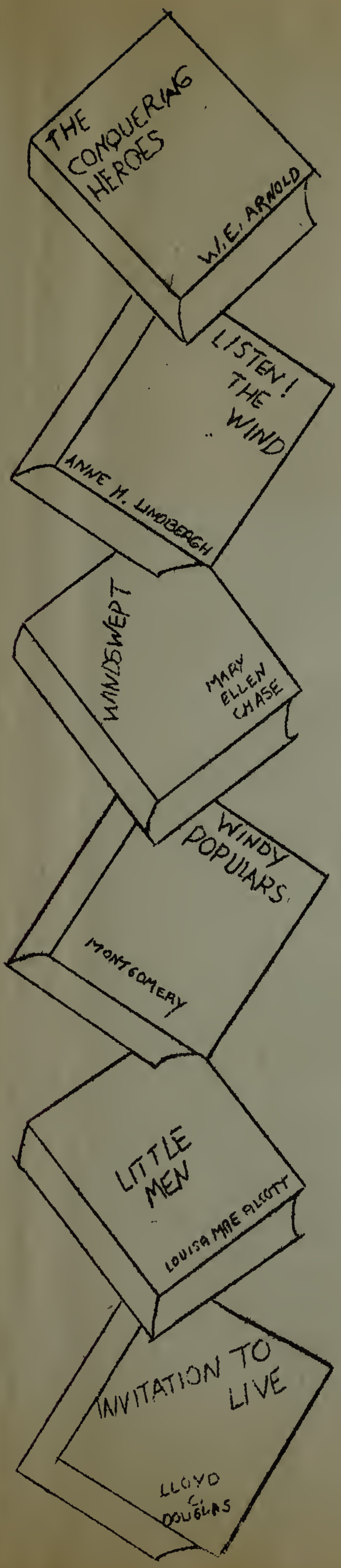


THE CONQUERING HEROES is the story of our boys in service.

LISTEN! THE WIND is the story of our faculty, their education, and their attempts to help us along the road of knowledge.

WINDSWEPT is the story of our classes, their history and the way the wind blew them in the school year of '44-'45.

WINDY POPULARS is the history of this year and its activities including plays, parties, and assembly programs.

LITTLE MEN is the history of our athletic teams, their abilities and their accomplishments during the '44-'45 season.

INVITATION TO LIVE is the history of our organizations, achievements and activities during the year.

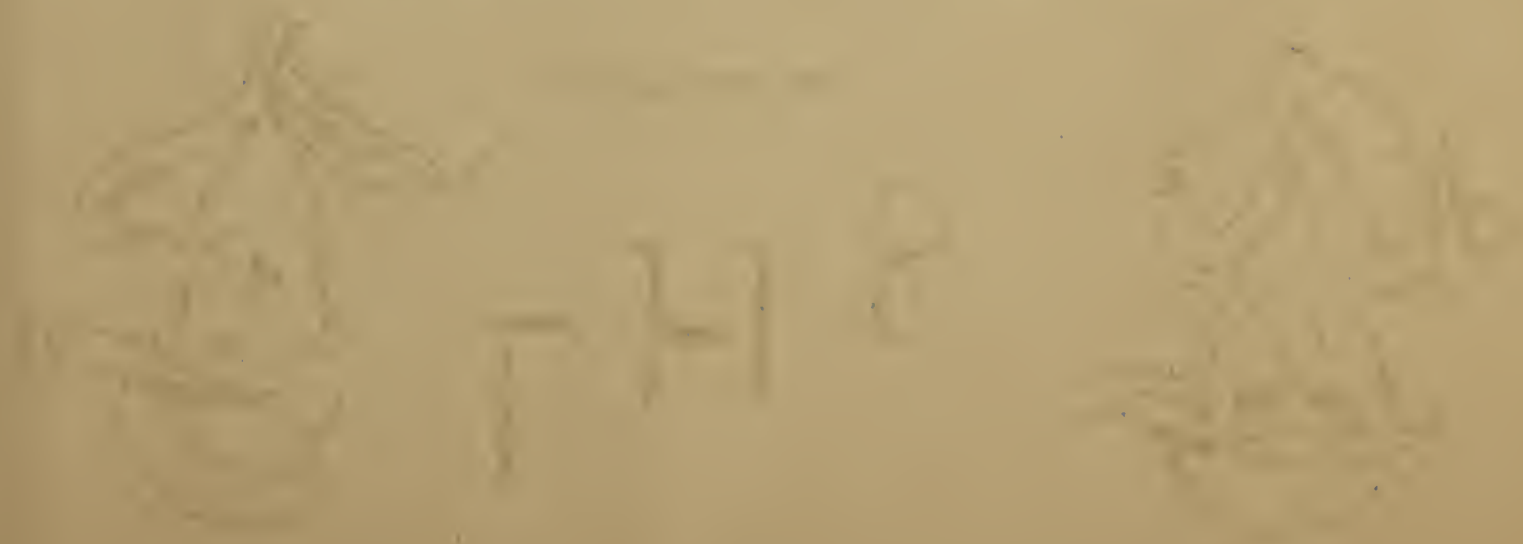
SEEING

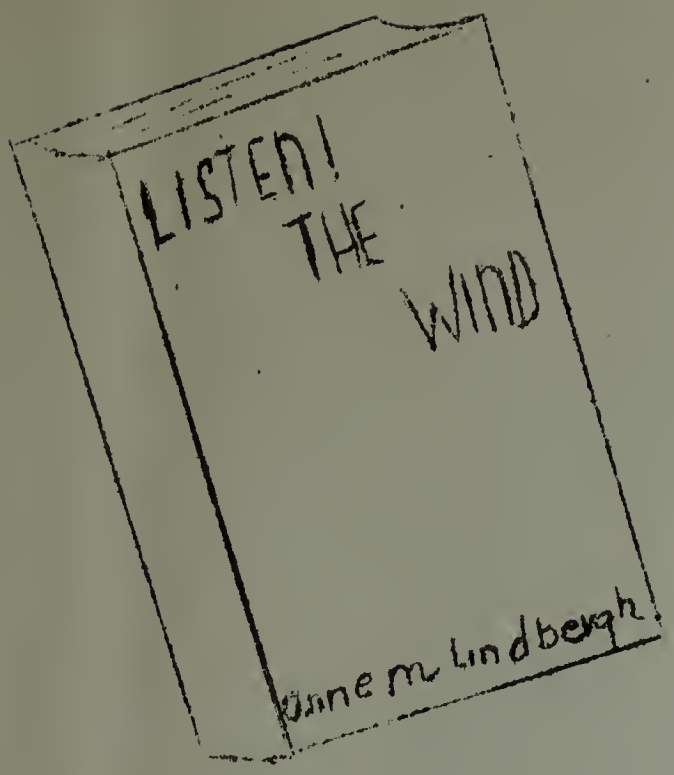
SERVILE

LHS

SERVICEMEN

Jack Gillespie	1922	Earl McGuire	1939
Wendell Votaw	1927	Issac Kendall	1939
Pauline Knipp	1927	Richard Hoover	1939
Carl Widmeyer	1927	Donald Emrick	1939
Bernard Harris	1928	Frank Bever	1939
William Gurtner	1930	Darwin Mendenhall	1940
Dean Walker	1930	Maurice Halleck	1940
William Strasser	1930	Merrill Kendall	1940
Forest Miller	1930	John Lynn	1940
Robert Barnett	1931	Mike Mindala	1940
Howard Herron	1932	Ivan Rinearson	1940
Paul Weimer	1932	Paul Glass	1940
Hubert Dubois	1933	Robert Oliver	1940
Robert Lytle	1933	Russell Eppley	1940
Donald Porter	1933	Freeman Mathis	1941
Raymond Crist	1934	Stanford Mendenhall	1941
Robert Curless	1934	Charles King	1941
Peter Smith	1935	Max Pippenger	1941
Lorin Williams	1936	Hubert Weesner	1941
Clinton Smyers	1936	Frank Pearson	1941
Allen Lynn	1936	Donald Cochran	1941
Harry Faust	1936	Edson Finkenbiner	1942
Clarence Eltzroth	1936	Raymond Reed	1942
Russell Barnett	1936	James Schetzsle	1942
Fred Routt	1937	*Lionel Fordyce	1942
Harry Hayes	1937	Danny Whitehead	1942
William Rupert	1937	Gloe Vrooman, Jr.	1942
Paul Porter	1937	Joseph Cooper	1942
Paul Nicely	1937	Donald Armstrong	1942
*Robert Myers	1937	Charles Cox	1943
Frances Stouffer	1937	Robert Ellison	1943
Robert Smith	1938	Robert Huss	1943
Gene Thorpe	1938	Nevin Murphy	1943
Robert McCullough	1938	Donald Smith	1943
Nate Daughterty	1939	Robert Martin	1943
Robert King	1939	James Weesner	1943
Ralph Barnhouse	1939	Richard Frank	1943
Jack Mendenhall	1939	Gene Hoover	1943
John Routt	1939		





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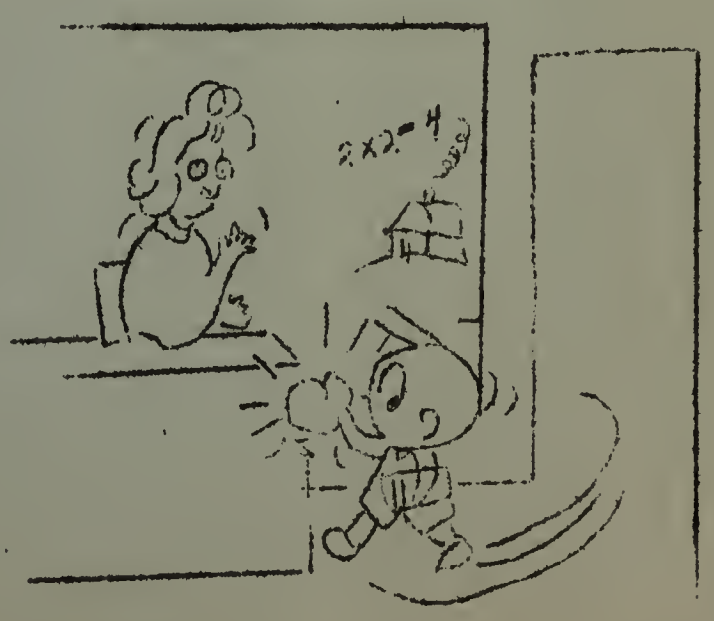


FACULTY

Guilford Gurtner - Principal and Coach

Health

A. B .
Manchester College
M. A.
Indiana University

JANE COOPER

Home Economics, English

B. S.
Ind. State Teacher's College

M. OTTO BECHTOLD

Mathematics, Science

A. B.
Manchester College

BETTY SHORTZ

Phy. Ed., Commerce

B. S.
Manchester College

HAROLD A. LAWSON

Agriculture, Chemistry

B. S. A.
Purdue University

MARIE BAUMGARTNER

English, Latin, Music

M. A.
Indiana University
B. A.
Wheaton College

LESLIE SPARKS

Civics, History,
Biology, Library

B. S. L.
Butler University

MARY STODDARD

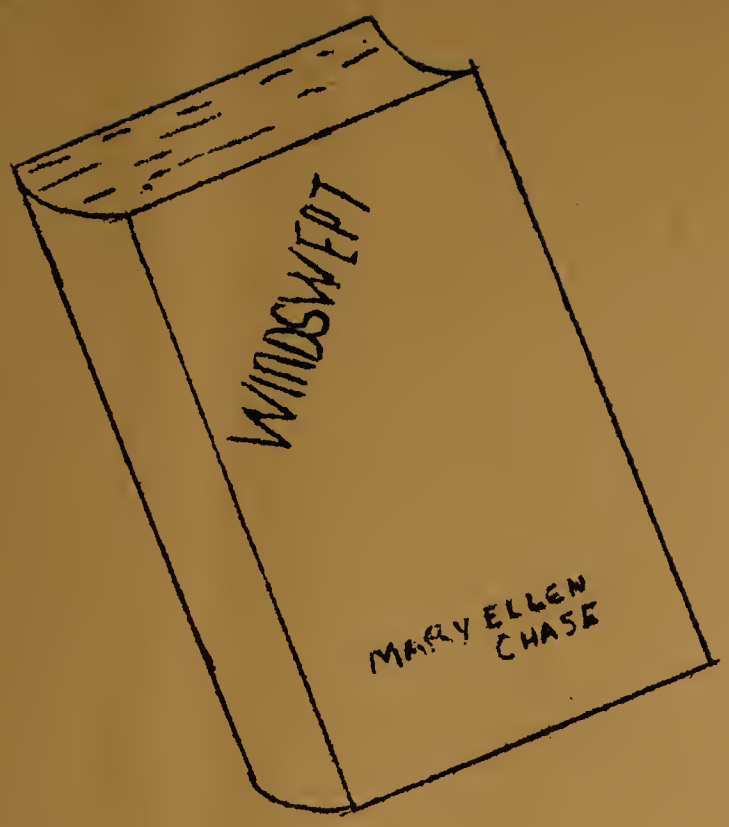
Junior High

A. B.
Manchester College

VON WILLIAMS

Junior High

Manchester College
Marion College
Winona College



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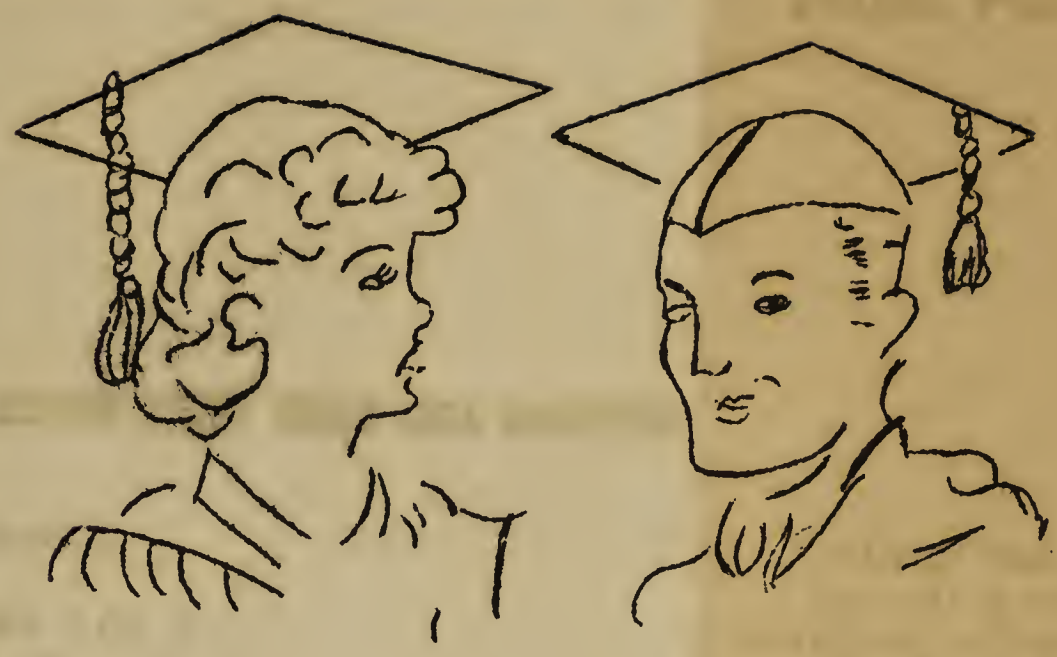
CHAPTER ONE

SENIORS

Dick Early
Gene Custer
Abige Smith
Ruth Pollitt
Helen Kaufman
Emmalou Stitz
Betty Garrison
Emmalou Wilson
Eloise Shanafelt
Richard Lambert
Jack Thompson
Evelyn Miller
Dick Weesner
Tom Waymire
Donna Rife



SENIOR CLASS

This year there are only fifteen students in the senior class. Small but Mighty!

Gene Custer	President
Jack Thompson	Vice-President
Emmalou Wilson	Secretary-Treasurer

On the evening of October 11 the senior class, Miss Shortz, and Mr. Gurtner enjoyed a hayride to the Salamonie State Reserve near Lagro. We had refreshments of cider, weiners, and potato chips. We had a good time despite the chilly weather.

On November 15, the seniors and their sponsor, Miss Shortz, skipped school and went to Ft. Wayne. After lunch at Miller's Cafeteria we separated for the afternoon. We met again in the evening at the Emboyd Theater to see the movie "The Seventh Cross." This was the first time any senior class had had a Skip Day at Linlawn and we hope that it will be continued.

A group of WOWO Radio Entertainers consisting of Skeet Cross, Judy and Jen, Fred Oliver, and George Arthur was sponsored by the seniors on the evening of February 7.

On February 26 the Civics Class went to Wabash and visited the different County Offices. While we were there we also visited an involuntary manslaughter trial at the court house.

SENIORS ARE LIKE OPEN BOOKS

Dick Early	A Man for the Ages
Gene Custer	The Pirate
Betty Garrison	An Old Fashioned Girl
Helen Kaufman	So Red the Rose
Richard Lambert	Hoosier School Boy
Evelyn Miller	To Have and To Hold
Ruth Pollitt	Rose in Bloom
Donna Rife	Passing Dream
Eloise Shanafelt	How Green is My (Rich)Valley
Abige Smith	Smokey
Emmalou Stitz	Frills and Thrills
Jack Thompson	The Sea Wolf
Tom Waymire	The Romantic Rebel
Dick Weesner	The Gentleman from Indiana
Emmalou Wilson	One Foot In Heaven

ALPHABET OF THE SENIORS

Act promptly	Never despair
Be courteous	Owe nobody
Cut out worry	Play occasionally
Deal squarely	Quote Your mother
Eat what is wholesome	Read good books
Forgive and forget	Save something
Give generously	Treat others fairly
Hope always	Use discretion
Imitate the best	Vote regularly
Judge kindly	Watch your step
Knock nobody	X-ray yourself
Love somebody	Yield to superiors
Make friends	Zealously live

CLASS HISTORY

Twelve years ago in the fall of 1934 around thirty first-graders walked into the halls of the Linlawn grade building . Out of these thirty pupils nine will graduate in 1945. They are Betty Garrison, Eloise Shanafelt, Emmalou Wilson, Gene Custer, Dick Early, Richard Lambert, Abige Smith, Jack Thompson, and Tom Waymire. Miss Pauline Churchill was the teacher. We were a pretty bashful and timid group of students those first few weeks. But after new friendships were made and new experiences gained, our long career in Linlawn had started.

In 1935 we entered the second grade. Miss Stoops was our teacher. We were rather uncertain as to whether we would pass on to the third grade since one of the requirements was a 5-minute subtraction-addition test.

1936 found us in the third grade. Miss Emmalou Shambaugh was the teacher. It was her first year out of college and we had a good time trying out a new teacher.

In 1937 we entered the fourth grade. Everyone was glad to be promoted upstairs for his fourth grade in school. Helen Kaufman became a member of our class that year. Miss Irma Small was the teacher.

1938 saw us in the fifth grade. This was the year that we were taught the dreadful long division. The teacher was Miss Scotten.

In 1939 we entered the sixth grade. It was our last year in the grade building and we had things pretty much our own way---we thought. Emmalou Stitz and Donna Rife became members of our class that year. They were from Wabash. Mr. Tinkle was our teacher.

1940 found us in the high school building at last. We liked it very much even though we did miss the fifteen minute recesses and the long noon hours to which we were accustomed. Dick Weesner from Wabash joined our class that year.

1941 saw us in the eighth grade----our last before entering high school. Von Williams was our main teacher in junior high. His work was to fit us for High school, and the work was well done.

In the fall of 1941 we became freshmen. "Greenhorn" is the senior word for it. This was the year that our class reached its peak in enrollment----38. We were divided into two sections to give each student the best possible chance in classwork. Evelyn Miller entered our

class from Indianapolis that year.

In the sophomore year things really began rolling. Some of the boys were regulars on the second team. Our enrollment dropped to 26. Another new member who was to become a senior entered our class that year. She was Ruth Pollitt from Shelbyville.

The next year, our junior year, was one of some importance. We were finally "upper-classmen." This meant an active part in varsity athletics, junior play, and junior-senior banquet.

In 1945 we became seniors. The senior year is one that you wait on for eleven years, and then it is over before you know it. This is the year that most of us realize for the first time, how valuable TIME really is. Every student has said sometime in his school life that he would be glad when it was all over. How true that is in the early stages of the game. But when the month of April comes and we know that in a few weeks we will be gone from Linlawn as students forever, we change our minds.

Commencement brings down the curtain on the first act. The next acts will be the hard ones, but also the best ones-----because the first one was spent at school -------in LINLAWN.

"All the world's a stage,
And the men and women merely players."

CLASS WILL

We, the Class of 1945 of Linlawn High School, County of Wabash, State of Indiana, being of sound mind and good judgment, and in good spirits, do hereby make, execute and publish this our last will and testament in manner following, and do hereby, by these presents revoke any and all wills by us heretofore made.

First, to the high school teachers we leave the Juniors, Sophomores, Freshmen, the boys and the girls that will follow us in this grand march of youth. We hope that these teachers will be able to make something of the oncoming classes and have more brilliant records to report than have been made by the Class of 1945.

Second, to the Juniors, we leave the honor of being the Class of 1946. May your flag proudly wave over the

school for the entire year and may you bring many laurels to this beloved high school.

Third, to the Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen we leave all the old relics of bygone days; we leave the time worn halls and scarred desks; we leave old love notes between pages of Websters International or the Britannica.

Fourth, to all the students of this school the members of this class will all the best wishes and goodwill possible for the days and years to come. We will for each and every student the very best of things in life, success in school work, success in extra-curricular activities and all the success in life itself.

I, Gene Custer, do hereby will and bequeath to Gordon Ridenour my ability to get caught by a teacher every time I do something wrong.

I, Eloise Shanafelt, do hereby will and bequeath to Maxine Vandegrift my seat in the assembly, making it easier for her to enjoy the reading of magazines and talking to all the librarians who come along.

I, Helen Kaufman, do hereby will and bequeath to Martha Ann Spitler my office duties for the coming year.

I, Donna Rife, do hereby will and bequeath to Sarah Elliott my great knowledge of First Aid so that she will be able to find the proper hammers, mallets, and saws in the senior play--to use on "reptiles."

I, Richard Lambert, do hereby will and bequeath to Robert Ward my office work so he can bother Mr. Gurtner's health class as I have done the past year.

I, Gene Custer, do hereby will and bequeath to Kathryn Sailors, first, my tall, slim stature, and secondly, the ability to advance from Junior Secretary to Senior President the same as I did last year.

I, Betty Garrison, do hereby will and bequeath to Chuck Hoover my naturally curly hair so his mother wont make him WAC off his WAVES.

I, Emmalou Wilson, do hereby will and bequeath to Ronald Reed my seat in the back of the assembly, so that he may hear and see all of the students and teachers who are in the room or trying to sneak in from the rear.

I, Emmalou Stitz, do hereby will and bequeath to Lawrence Denney, my ability to make fudge and ability to be able to tell a joke every night on the school bus.

I, Evelyn Miller, do hereby will and bequeath to Traverse Shanafelt my gas stamps, so he can get back and forth from Peru without having to push the car.

I, Emmalou Stitz, do hereby will and bequeath to Doris Baublet my seat in Civics class and also my great ability to act like all good, little, senior girls should.

I, Betty Garrison, do hereby will and bequeath to Valette Eppley my ability to entertain the high school patrons with my exquisite twirling routine.

I, Emmalou Wilson, do hereby will and bequeath to Martha Ann Pond my Public Speaking book so that she may become the next ELEANOR--and also a nice, new airplane for her travels.

I, Helen Kaufman, do hereby will and bequeath to Louise Ogan my typing period so that she may put it to better advantage than I did.

I, Jack Thompson, do hereby will and bequeath to Mary Frances Barnett my ability to pass the time away in the assembly, so that in the future she won't become bored with the long periods.

I, Dick Early, do hereby will and bequeath to Rachel Dale my ability to arrive at all places on time-------- always early!

I, Dick Weesner, do hereby will and bequeath to Mary Louise Mansfield my tall stature, so that she may model the caps and gowns for the class next year and hope they will fit her.

I, Tom Waymire, do hereby will and bequeath to Bob Penn my ability to hold my temper at all times, at all places, and under all conditions--(with the cooperation of Gordon Ridenour).

I, Dick Weesner, do hereby will and bequeath to Frances Custer my naturally curly red hair so that she may be easily seen and won't have to bother about putting it up when she gets in--in the wee hours of the morning.

I, Ruth Pollitt, do hereby will and bequeath to Jerry Stouffer my great ability to make foul shots--and hope that he does better than I have done.

I, Abige Smith, do hereby will and bequeath to Donald Waymire my ability to always get into trouble and by so doingto keep the school alive.

I, Ruth Pollitt, do hereby will and bequeath to Mary Kathryn Roser my knowledge of Latin. It finished

the Romans and almost did away with me.

We hereby nominate and appoint the Class of 1946 as sole executors of this our last will and testament and direct that said class not be required to give bonds.

The above will is the last instrument given under the hand and seal of the official board of the Class, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Five.

The Seniors of 1945

Donna Belle Helen Kaufman
Emmalou Stitz Betty Garrison
Evelyn Miller Jack Thompson
Eloise Shanafelt Tom Gaynier
Richard Lambert Abigail Smith
Dick Early Dick Wilson
Gene Custer Emmalou Wilson
Ruth Pollitt

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

Veronica Grable, formerly known as Evelyn Miller, has now reached the peak of her fame in her latest picture, "A Brussel Sprouts in Puckerbrush," or "How Much Longer Shall This Life Go On."

J. Howard Thompson, that well-known and distinguished old bachelor has recently been appointed U. S. Ambassador to the Fuyji Islands.

Abige Smith has just been released from the hospital after a serious injury to his big toe caused from a fall off a ladder while puttying windows.

Mrs. Horace Hoople, the former Emmalou Wilson, has recently been blessed with a new addition to her lovely family of 13. She manages them well for she whips them all regularly once a week. If she doesn't know why----they do!!

Gene Custer, now a famous inventor, has recently patented a device similar to a torpedo for shootingchalk in the schoolroom. This should prove to be a very popular gadget, as it effects a more accurate aim andgreater speed.

Emmalou Stitz may be heard every morning at 9:15 on the "Grab it and Growl" dog food program with her pointers to Pedigreed Pet Owners.

Richard Lambert spends his time peddling ice cream in a little cart on the streets of Wabash. He finds this useful in keeping his weight down to the proper 250 pounds and also as a fair means of livelihood.

Ruth Pollitt Tyler Johnson Brown, who has been married and divorced three times already, is now traveling about the country giving lectures to women--"Helpful Hints on How to Hold Your Hubby."

Dick Weesner has been in the U. S. Navy for over ten years now and has seen the four corners of the earth. But, as the old saying goes, he does not have a sweetheart in every port------He has two!

Mimi Paloola, formerly known as Donna Rife, is a well-known designer of the Tryan Fittum Women's Clothing Stores in New York. Her "Handsome Hussy" styles are known all over the world.

Tom Waymire, better known as "The Terror of the West" or "Two-Gun Tom", rides the Texas ranges on Dog Biscuit shooting up towns as he rides. He still sings

that old, old tune, unknown to our younger generation, "Don't Fence Me In."

Dick Early, a successful scientist, has worked for many long years trying to discover different uses for the eggplant. He has already found 23 various uses and he has prospects of finding still more.

Betty Garrison has long been a conductress on the Rich Valley-Mill Creek Railway Service. She is always singing "The Trolley Song" and still has hopes of finding a man who will stay on to the end of the line.

Madame Kaufman of New York is a famous fortune teller and is never seen without her crystal ball. Not only does she look into the future, but she can tell you such miraculous things that even she cannot believe them.

Mrs. Leon Hamfat (Eloise Shanafelt as we knew her) is the owner of a new restaurant just opened in Wabash. People flock to her cafe from miles around just to try her home-made ground-hog pie---just like mother used to make!

Class Day

PROGRAM

Band

Class Poem---Jack Thompson

Band

Prophecy---Jerry Stouffer

Will---Emmalou Wilson

Presentation of Gift
Gene Custer

School Song

Movie

Annuals

LINLAWN HIGH SCHOOL

BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

High School Auditorium
Sunday, April 15, 1945
2:00 P. M.

Music----------High School Band

Invocation----------Mr. Sparks

Holy, Holy, Holy!----------High School Chorus

Scripture Reading----------Gene Custer, Senior Pres.

Address----------Rev. W. Wimberly

The Blind Ploughman----------High School Chorus

Benediction----------Rev. Hershberger

LINLAWN HIGH SCHOOL

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

High School Auditorium
Friday, April 20, 1945
8:00 P. M.

Music----------High School Band

Invocation----------Mr. Tinkle

Music----------Manchester Quartet

"The High Price of Democracy"----------Dr. Logan Hall

Music----------Manchester Quartet

Presentation of Diplomas----------Mr. Gurtner

Presentation of Bibles----------Mr. Vrooman

Music----------High School Band

CHAPTER TWO

JUNIORS

Bob Ward
Robert Penn
Ronnie Reed
Don Waymire
Chuck Hoover
Doris Baublet
Valette Eppley
Francie Barnett
Kathryn Sailors
Martha A. Spitler
Traverse Shanafelt
Maxine Vandegrift
Mary L. Mansfield
Gordon Ridenour
Lawrence Denney
Jerry Stouffer
Frances Custer
Sarah Elliott
Katie Roser
Martha Pond
Louise Ogan
Sally Dale

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JUNIOR CLASS

Jerry Stouffer — President
Mary Frances Barnett — Vice-President
Kathryn Sailors — Secretary-Treasurer

The junior class at the start of the school year consisted of twenty-two students, nine boys and thirteen girls. Elizabeth Pearson, Bill Titus and Ronald Sommers did not return this year.

The juniors this year aren't any different from the past juniors. Every year the juniors face the job of raising money for a junior-senior trip or banquet. Some of the things we did thisyear to help with a trip or a banquet were:

(1) Selling ice cream, pop and potato chips at noons and at basketball games.
(2) Putting on the play "Pulling the Curtain."
(3) Presenting a school carnival with the help of the seniors.

It sounds as though the juniors worked all during the school year, but we did enjoy a few parties. Our first party was on October 20, at Louise Ogan's house. We had our class party on December 12-----a sleigh ride from Rich Valley to Linlawn. Upon arriving at school

we had hot dogs and hot chocolate ----then back to Rich Valley and home.

Next on our special events list was the receiving of the class rings and necklaces we ordered last year. They are pretty, aren't they?

On October 12 we started the concession stand. Two members of the class, Jerry Stouffer and Frances Custer, were elected to be in charge of it. We hope that next years juniors have as much luck as we have had with it.

The class was represented on the baseball team by Traverse Shanafelt, Donald Waymire, Lawrence Denney and Bob Ward.

The junior class also had representatives on the "A" and "B" basketball teams. Traverse Shanafelt, Donald Waymire, Jerry Stouffer and Bob Ward were on the "B" team and Ronald Reed, Lawrence Denney and Charles Hoover were on the "A" team. Charles dropped out right after the county tourney. During the last of the year Jerry and Traverse were moved up to first team places.

The class is looking forward to being back next year-----sitting in the last row in the assembly-------

---------- SENIORS ----------

CHAPTER THREE

SOPHOMORES

Peggy Baer
Patty Smith
Doris Yoder
Dean Coldren
Robert Floyd
Richard Dyson
Jean Erlewein
Lewis Jamerson
Donna Reynolds
Beach Whitaker
Grayston Campbell
Phyllis Pakuszewski
James Whiteman
Lois Mansfield
Donald Wilson
Doris Kaufman
Beulah Cherry
Ida Leonhard
Earl Turner
Wilma Tyner
Leon Cline

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SOPHOMORE CLASS

Earl Turner	President
Grayston Campbell	Vice-President
Patty Smith	Secretary-Treasurer

This year the sophomore class welcomed five new students. They were: Jean Erlewein, Wabash; Wilma Jean Tyner, Lagro; James Paul, Terre Haute; Robert Floyd, Lagro; James Whiteman, Claypool. The three students who left our class during the year were Betty Lou Schaaf, Eva Eltzroth, and Chris Demos. Our class now has twenty-two members.

The class had a hay-ride in October, with Dean Coldren furnishing the transportation and Donna Lou Reynolds entertaining us at her home with a weiner roast and games.

During January we had a farewell party for Chris Demos who left for induction into the service on February 10. We presented him with a service kit as a gift.

Donald Wilson, Grayston Campbell, Dean Coldren, Earl Turner, and Chris Demos were the basketball and baseball squad members from our class.

CHAPTER

FOUR

FRESHMEN

Paul Keel
Donald Baer
Vivian Ogan
Jack Weesner
Wilbur Frank
Donald Raver
John Winters
Naomi Sailors
James Van Camp
Cecil Shanafelt
Margaret Stouffer
Barbara Whitehead
Lavonne Shoemaker
Gene Pottenger
Robert Miller
Joanna Brown
Jay Reynolds
Harry Knable
Gary Fordyce
Betty Barlow
Mary Burris
Mary Denney

FRESHMAN CLASS

Gene Pottenger	President
Joe Surridge	Vice-President
Mary Denney	Secretary-Treasurer

This year the freshman class has an enrollment of twenty-two. Two students from White's Institute attended during both semesters.

Our Halloween party was held October 31, at Wimli Lodge on the Institute grounds. Prizes were given to Joanna Brown for being the funniest dressed person, Barbara Whitehead for being the best dressed, and Betty Stevens and Don Raver for being the best dressed couple.

We also had a theater party on March 20. We saw the show "To Have and Have Not." After the show Bonnie Shoemaker entertained us at her home.

CHAPTER FIVE EIGHT

Ruby Buss
Norma Ogan
John Bloxon
Jean Mowrer
JoAnn Kroft
Fred Aukerman
Larry Curless
Delores Roser
Donald Harnish
Billy McGinnis
Robert Winters
Constance Clark
Robert Van Camp
Marilyn Garrison
Charlene Lundquist
Emma Jean Lambert
Marjorie Cooper
Harriet Peebles
Mary Jane Bever
Eugene Spitler
Raymond Hoover
Leo Shanafelt
Donald Denney
Isaac Binkerd
Joan Burwell
June Knable
Ralph Dyson
Earl Raver
Irene Kegg

EIGHTH GRADE

Donald Denney	President
Eugene Spitler	Vice-President
Constance Clark	Secretary-Treasurer

This year we had thirty pupils at the beginning of the year. There were four new students in our group--- Fred Aukerman, Ruby Buss, June Knable, and Robert Winters. Carolyn Flook left us at the beginning of the second semester.

Our class was first in the Bond Drive. The final total was $2,706.25. Larry Curless sold $1,768.74 of that amount.

What a let-down feeling it is going to be next year to move to the freshman row after entertaining the seniors for a year!

CHAPTER

SIX

SEVERED

Dale Ray
John Dale
Morris Ford
Barbara Ray
Martha Keel
Gail Baublet
Carol Denney
-Janet Waymire
Ralph Whitaker
Barbara Barlow
Robert Whitesel
Lorene Jamerson
Barnette Wolfrum
Janice Vandegrift
Julia A. Shillinger
Margaret Williams
Curtis Carpenter
Norma Pottenger
Julia Ann Yoder
Jean Ann Brown
John Thompson
Miriam Eppley
Clara Wilson
John Bracken
Jerry Young
Jimmy Smith
Bill Rife
Fred Reed
Merle Ray

SEVENTH GRADE

At the beginning of the year we had thirty students. Bob Parsons left during the year making it twenty-nine.

We have enjoyed associating with the other students and our teachers, Mr. Williams, Mrs. Stoddard, Miss Baumgartner and Mr. Gurtner. Miss Baumgartner was our sponsor.

Our junior high basketball teams won the majority of their games. The first team won six out of eight games played and the second team won two out of four games played.

We have had a good time in the seventh grade and are looking forward to being eighth graders next year. We hope we are as lucky as past eighth graders and get to sit in the senior row.

LITTLE

CHAPTER ONE

BASEBALL

BASEBALL - 1944-1945

		BATTING AVERAGE	AB	HITS	RUNS
LF	Demos, C.	.291	26	7	4
SS	Custer, G.	.309	26	6	8
C	Early, R.	.311	26	7	9
3B	Thompson, J.	.305	25	6	3
2B	Waymire, T.	.318	26	7	7
P	Turner, E.	.565	26	13	11
1B	Campbell, G.	.531	26	12	8
CF	Ward, R.	.211	19	3	3
RF	Shanafelt, T.	.197	10	2	3
RF	Coldren, D.	.111	12	2	0
CF	Waymire, D.	.250	4	1	1
LF	Denney, L.	.000	4	0	1

The baseball team ended the season with a record of four games won and three games lost. We defeated Roann, Laketon, Chester, and were defeated by Chester and North Manchester.

The team will lose four of its senior players this year--Dick Early Jack Thompson, Gene Custer, and Tom Waymire.

Here's wishing the '45-'46 team the best of luck!

SCHEDULE

Linlawn	23
Roann	0
Linlawn	5
Chester	4
Linlawn	11
Laketon	4
Linlawn	0
N. Manchester	8
Linlawn	12
Roann	3
Linlawn	1
Chester	6
Linlawn	5
N. Manchester	8

CHAPTER

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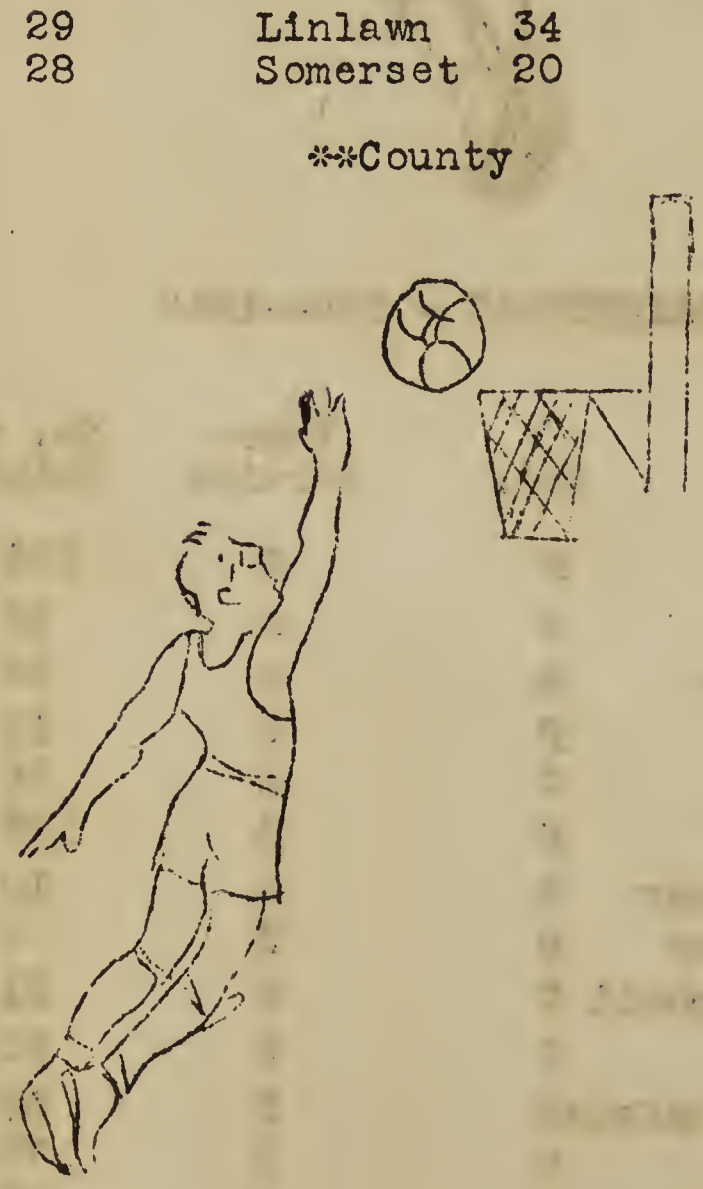
BASKETBALL - 1944-1945

No.		Pos.	Years Service	No. of Points	Grade
3	Gene Custer	F	4	206	12
10	Dick Early	G	4	93	12
8	Jack Thompson	G	4	85	12
7	Tom Waymire	F	2	18	12
5	Bob Jackson	C	1	25	12
9	Ronald Reed	F	3	125	11
4	Lawrence Denney	G	3	10	11
12	Charles Hoover	G	3	0	11
6	Grayston Campbell	C	2	31	10
11	Earl Turner	F	2	30	10
77	Traverse Shanafelt	C	3	88	11
76	Don Wilson	G	2	78	10
75	Don Waymire	F	1	53	11
74	Dean Coldren	G	2	60	10
73	Jerry Stouffer	F	2	13	11
72	Bob Ward	G	3	19	11
71	Chris Demos	F	1	0	10

SCHEDULE

Linlawn	25	Linlawn	30	Linlawn	OT	31
Roann	24	Wabash	40	Laketon		36
Linlawn	15	Linlawn	49	Linlawn		32
Lagro	28	Chippewa	34	LaFontaine		27
Linlawn	20	Linlawn	26	Linlawn		28
Chester	24	Andrews	29	Lagro		31
Linlawn	32 OT	Linlawn	32	Linlawn		50
Chippewa	38	Roann	37	Lincolnville		28
Linlawn	42	Linlawn	28	Linlawn		53
Alumni	34	Urbana	19	Urbana		38
Linlawn	22	Linlawn	27	Linlawn		21
*Lagro	30	**Lagro	36	***Wabash		41
Linlawn	29	Linlawn	34			
*LaFontaine	28	Somerset	20			

*Four-way **County ***Sectional



FRESHMAN AND JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

The Freshman team was composed of Gene Pottenger, Gary Fordyce, Donald Baer, Donald Raver, James Van Camp, Cecil Shanafelt, and Wilbur Frank. The team looks promising. Some of these boys were allowed to dress for second team games.

The Junior Pirates First Team won 6 games out of 8. Members of the team are Larry Curless, Donald Denney, Fred Reed, John Dale, Donald Harnish, and Morris Ford.

The Junior Pirates Second Team won 4 games out of 6. The members of this team are Bill McGinnis, Bob Van Camp, Earl Raver, Bob Thompson, Jerry Young, Eugene Spitler, Jim Smith, Barnett Wolfrum, Robert Winters, Bill Rife, and John Bloxon.

BASKETBALL AWARDS OF 1943-1944

Each year awards are given to those boys who have played on the basketball teams. Sweaters are awarded to the seniors and first or second team L's to the others. The Yell Leaders were given L's in appreciation of their fine work. These awards were given at the close of the 1943-1944 basketball season.

PLAYER	YEARS SERVICE	AWARD		
Thomas Bever	1	Sweater		Stripes
Burnell Barnett	4	Sweater		Stripes
Wendell Snyder	3	Sweater		Stripes
Bob Metzger	4	Sweater		Stripes
Bob Stouffer	4	Sweater	Capt. Star	Stripes
Vernon Waymire	1	Sweater		Stripes
Gene Custer	3	1st Team L		Bars 3
Dick Early	3	1st Team L		Bars 3
Jack Thompson	3	1st Team L		Bars 3
Dean Harwood	3	1st Team L		Bars 3
Charles Hoover	2	2nd Team L		
Ronald Reed	2	2nd Team L		
Lawrence Denney	2	2nd Team L		
Grayston Campbell	1	2nd Team L		
Earl Turner	1	2nd Team L		
Tom Waymire	1	2nd Team L		
Traverse Shanafelt	2	2nd Team L		
Bob Ward	2	2nd Team L		
Dean Coldren	1	2nd Team L		

PLAYER	YEARS SERVICE	AWARD
Donald Wilson	1	2nd Team L
Jerry Stouffer	1	Mgr. L

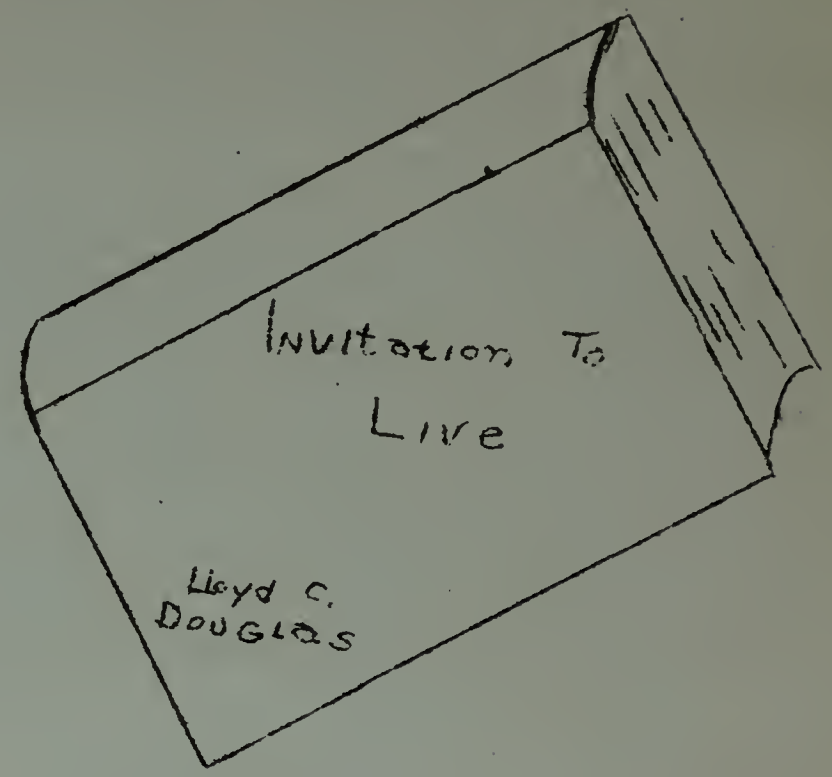
YELL LEADERS 1943-1944

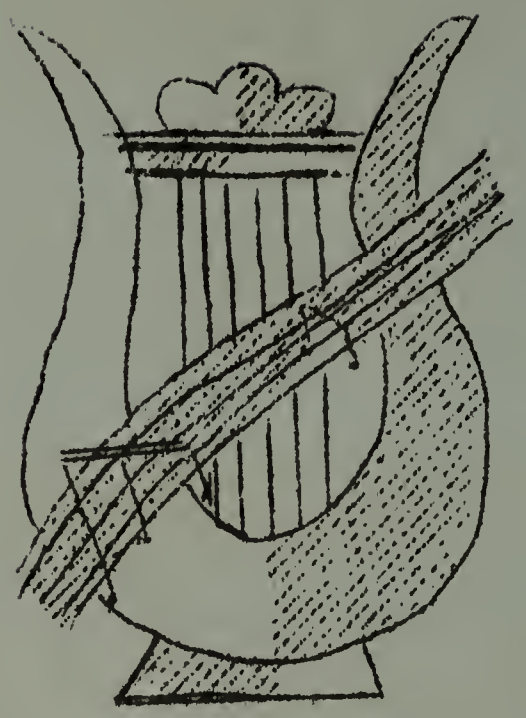
Charlotte Barnett	1	Yell Letter
Margarett Stouffer	1	Yell Letter
Betty Barlow	1	Yell Letter

YELL LEADERS 1944-1945

Mary Frances Barnett
Martha Ann Pond

ORGANIZATIONS





BAND

Jack Thompson	President
Donald Wilson	Vice-President
Emmalou Wilson	Secretary
Martha Spitler	Treasurer

This year the band has a total enrollment of forty members, most of which were here last year. This does not include the grade school twirlers or the four high school twirlers who worked with them---Emmalou Stitz, Evelyn Miller, Betty Garrison, and Frances Custer.

Our annual winter concert was held December 23. We played three popular pieces, "God Bless America", "When the Lights Go On Again", and "Chiapanacas" and several light classicals. The program ended with the audience singing Christmas carols.

Last spring, the band entered the State Band Contest at Fort Wayne, and won first prize in its division. We are planning to enter again this year and hope to do as well.

Due to the fact that most people graduate sooner or later, the band will lose four of its best regular members this year--Donna Rife, Gene Custer, Emmalou Wilson, and Jack Thompson. Three twirlers will also graduate--Emmalou Stitz, Evelyn Miller, and Betty Garrison. We are sure to miss these members as they have been quite active in the band for several years.

CHORUS

If you heard a loud noise at the beginning of the year, it was the chorus starting off with a bang. The following list will give you a brief idea of who does the warbling:

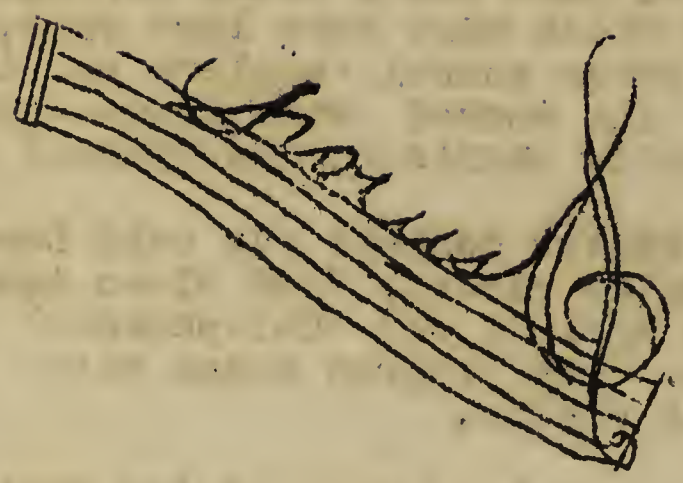
First Sopranos
Ruth Pollitt
Emmalou Wilson

Second Sopranos
Sarah Elliott
Valette Eppley
Wilma Jean Tyner

Bass
Robert Penn
James Van Camp
John Winters

Altos
Frances Custer
Mary K. Roser
Maxine Vandegrift
Barbara Whitehead
Doris Yoder

Tenors
Gene Custer
Richard Lambert
Gene Pottenger
Donald Raver
Jack Thompson



The girls of the chorus sang for the October P.T.A. meeting. They sang, "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and "Down the River of Golden Dreams."

On the Christmas program the chorus with Mr. Lawson as soloist sang "Gesi Bambino." Other selections that were sung were: "Birthday of A King", "White Christmas", and "In Excelsis Deo."

The Big Dinner, Baccalaureate, and Commencement were the occasions for which we sang the new numbers.

Several new pieces have been added to our collection. We have three Fred Waring arrangements: "Erie Canal", "Holy, Holy, Holy", and "This Is My Country." Our other new numbers are: "On The Road To Mandalay", "In My Garden", and "The Blind Ploughman."

SPEECH CLASS

There are eleven seniors in the speech class under the direction of Miss Baumgartner. We are in this class to learn to talk successfully. We have studied specialized subjects, such as dramatics, extempore speaking, debating and interpretative reading. At the end of the year we all hope to be able to speak before an audience without making mistakes and also to be perfectly at ease ---not scared to death as we were the first few weeks of

school. The senior play will offer us an opportunity to see if we have improved.

The speech class presented a play called the "Christmas Angel" for the benefit of the high school. We also gave it at the Alumni Banquet. The characters were as follows:

Mrs. Reynolds----------Emmalou Wilson
Angela Reynolds----------Emmalou Stitz
Jeff Reynolds----------Jack Thompson
Alice Gray----------Donna Rife
Pat Bond----------Evelyn Miller
Messenger Boy----------Abige Smith

The plot centered around the fact that Angela did not want to be the Christmas Angel in the local Christmas pageant. Since she had been quite small she had played the part because of her "yellow hair and blue eyes." Several people offered to take the part. This was quite strange as before no one would take the part for anything. Angela finally decided to take the part herself. Upon reading the paper she discovered that the pageant was to be filmed--the reason for all of the kind offers.

GIRLS 4-H CLUBS

There were thirty-five girls in the Linlawn Clubs and nine girls and one boy in the Rich Valley Club. The officers of thse clubs were:

LINLAWN SENIOR CLUB

Frances Custer	President
Maxine Vandegrift	Vice-President
Mary Lou Mansfield	Secretary-Treasurer

LINLAWN JUNIOR CLUB

Clara Wilson	President
Miriam Eppley	Vice-President
Norma Pottenger	Secretary-Treasurer

RICH VALLEY

Janet Waymire	President
Sarah Elliott	Vice-President
Peggy Baer	Secretary-Treasurer

This year we had several achievements in the Girls 4-H Clubs. the FIRSTS for the County Fair were:

CLOTHING:	Rebecca Elliott, Phyllis Renbarger, Lois Mansfield, Mary Lou Mansfield, and Frances Custer.
FOOD PREPARATION:	Miriam Eppley,Rebecca Elliott, Mary Louise Denney, Phyllis Renbarger, Sarah Elliott, and Martha Pearson.
BAKING:	Martha Pearson, Lois Eppley, Mary Lou Allegree, Janice Vandegrift, Jo Ann Kroft, Margarett Stouffer, Mary Lou Mansfield, and Sarah Elliott.
CANNING:	Phyllis Renbarger
CLOTHING:	Frances Custer

Each of these girls receive dress revue pins. Maxine Vandegrift was Reserve Champion in the dress revue. Others in the first ten were Frances Custer,Mary Louise Denney, Sarah Elliott, Phyllis Renbarger, and Miriam Eppley. Sarah Elliott had the Sweepstake Record Book this year and will receive a trip to the 4-H Round-Up at Purdue in June.

BOYS 4-H CLUBS

The vocational agriculture class at Linlawn isn't as large as in some preceding years, but it is just as good. The boys are studying about dairy cattle and pasture management this year. They have had considerable training in livestock judging, also. They have been doing a lot towards figuring cost of rations, bal-

ancing rations and how to keep good records.This group of boys is an exceptionally good one.

4-H ACHIEVEMENTS

Last summer Linlawn had a baseball team made up of 4-H boys. We won five games out of ten. We had several close games and enjoyed ourselves a great deal.

An initiation ceremony was held during the summer for all 4-H members. The committee initiated 18 boys and later initiated the Chippewa club. A movie was shown and refreshments were served after each event.

Linlawn had a very successful season in 1944. A list of achievements are as follows:

LOCAL--COUNTY

Champion Poland China Gilt----------Donald Raver

Grand Champion Barrow----------Richard Dyson

Heaviest 4-H Litter----------Richard Dyson

DISTRICT

Highest Scoring Boy in Dairy Judging----------Dick Early

Champion Dairy Judging Team Members

Mary Louise Mansfield
Frances Custer
Dick Early
Paul Yoder

Champion Livestock Judging Team Members

Burnell Barnett
Gene Custer

STATE

Third place Chester White Litter----------Richard Dyson
Showed against 10 other litters.

Eighth place Gilt----------Richard Dyson
There were 30 others in this class.

Seventh place Gilt----------Donald Raver
There were 35 showing in the class.

Van Wilson and Bob McKillip were members of the Livestock

judging team from Chippewa.

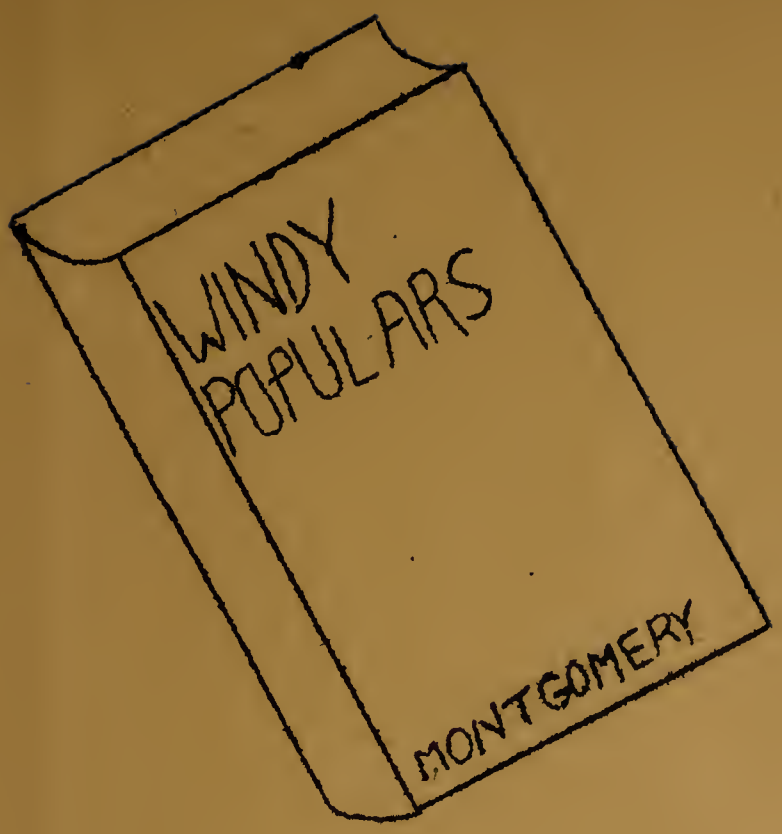
Highest Scoring Indiana Livestock Judge-Burnell Barnett
Best Horse Judge----------Burnell Barnett
Winner $100 Scholarship----------Burnell Barnett

Reserve Champion Livestock Judging Team-Burnell Barnett
Gene Custer

Members of the Champion Dairy Judging Team were:
Mary Louise Mansfield
Frances Custer
Gene Custer
Paul Yoder

Winner of $75 Scholarship---------Mary Louise Mansfield

Winners of $50 War Bonds
Mary Louise Mansfield
Burnell Barnett
Frances Custer
Gene Custer
Dick Early
Paul Yoder



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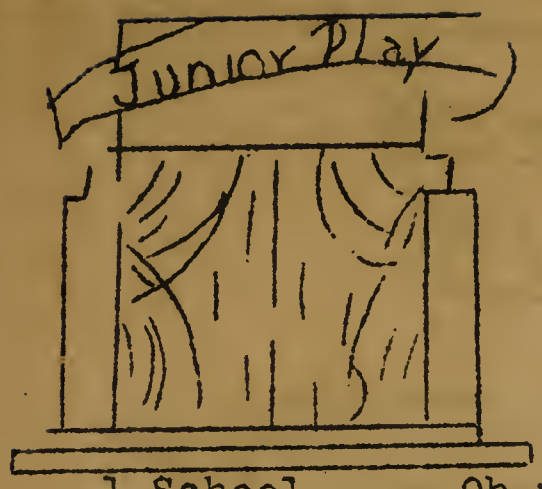
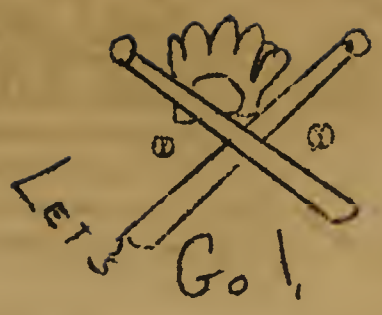
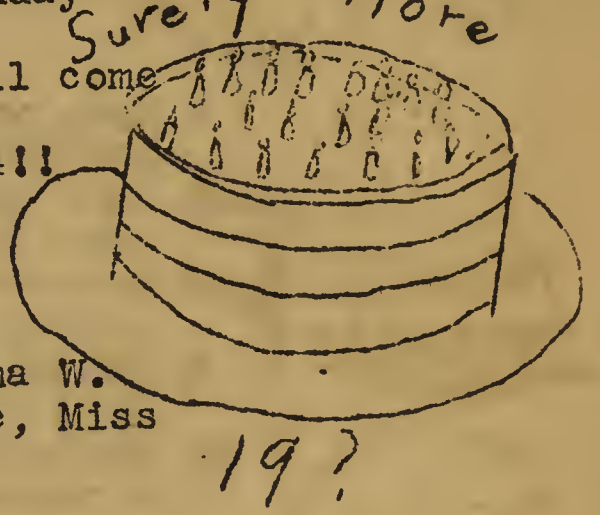




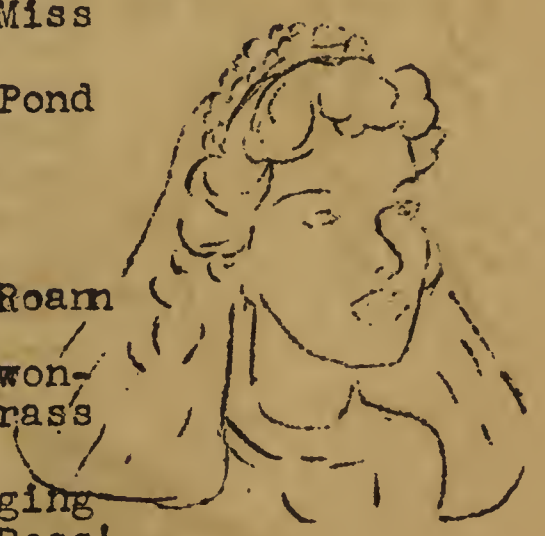
SEPTEMBER

1 School------Oh no! not that again---new faces seen---our principal, Mr. Gurtner----three new teachers--Miss Baumgartner, Miss Rowe, and Mr. Sparks------old faces missed---Mr. Smith, Mr. Wilson, and Mrs. Barnett.
3 Happy Birthday! Miss Keller.
4 Work begins--everything in a muddle--here comes the team carrying mitts, balls, and bats and the rest of the baseball equipment.
8 Another year, another day, another birthday---Happy Birthday, Mr. Williams!!!
14 Class officers elected---the meeting will come to order!
29 Our first movie---Thanks Seniors of 1944!!



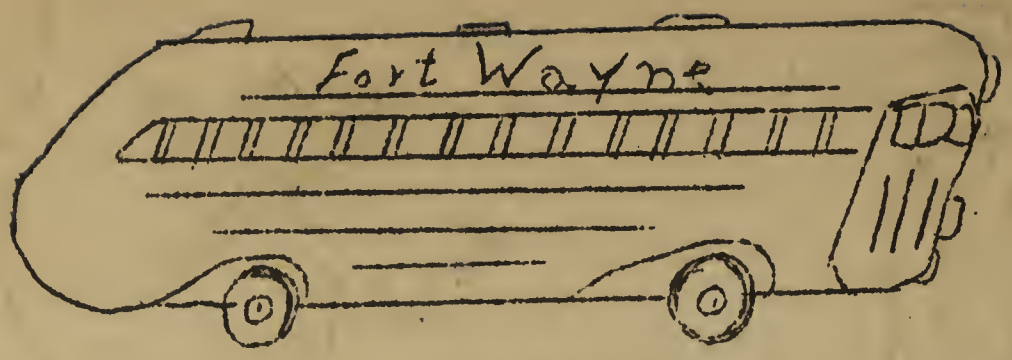
OCTOBER

4 Reverend Johnson--our first speaker.
10 A certain senior girl's birthday--Hi Emma W.
11 Well, another birthday---what's your age, Miss Shortz---or is it a secret?
17 Mr. Gurtner's Birthday!
17 Seniors had a hay-ride---Boy, am I cold!
18 Another movie---and we thought meat was hard to get.
18 The juniors finally start to work??? There's where our money goes----for the junior's pop, ice cream, and potato chips.
24 Junior play---"Pulling the Curtain"-------Miss Keller finally got rid of that picture!!
27 Election of yell leaders--Let's get behind Pond and Barnett.



NOVEMBER

1 First basketball game---so we traveled to Roann for our first victory--good work, boys!
3 Another speaker--Reverend Hershberger--we wonder how many of us will be painting the grass in a few years------get it????
3 There goes the first of our seniors changing her name from Frank to Reed----Good Luck, Bess!
7 Election----Yea Rah! Roosevelt--------Too Bad Dewey---Better luck next time.
9 General Assembly---Reverend Breedlove gives a good talk.
10 Another ball game---Chester won-----Good fight



though boys----Twirlers exhibit themselves.

15 Who do the seniors think they are------leaving school Skip Day---I'm sure the seniors were angels and did thinks worthwhile---I'll bet Ft. Wayne is glad seniors don't have Skip Day more than once a year---poor bus drivers!---------We missed you Emmy W.

16 Happy Birthday, Betty G. Sweet? and never been missed?

23 Thanksgiving vacation---before dinner--Yum!Yum! after dinner----Tums!! Tums!!

DECEMBER

2 Four way tourney--Lagro vs. Linlawn-----played LaFontaine in consolation game--Won!

4-8 Bond week----Good work everybody----especially the eighth grade.

6 Another game----lost, but we're behind you all the way.

8 FLASH!!! ---Pirates rob----Indians sob----Yea! Rah! for our side.

12 Juniors hitch old Dobbin to the sleigh and take a ride----Some fun!

21-22 Everyone looking for his thinking cap-----most of them lost-----Semester Exams.

22 Christmas party-----look at the presents------ Thanks Mrs. Santa!

22 With a rooty toot toot---and a rummy tum tum--our band swings into a concert. O. K.!

22 While eaves-dripping we heard that one of our teachers has been keeping something from us for two years----why Miss Keller---Terrible--- you really should have told us---We might have tried to hook you up to some other guy!

24 Miss Rowe changes her name---Mrs. Stoddard---- May we wish her lots of happiness.

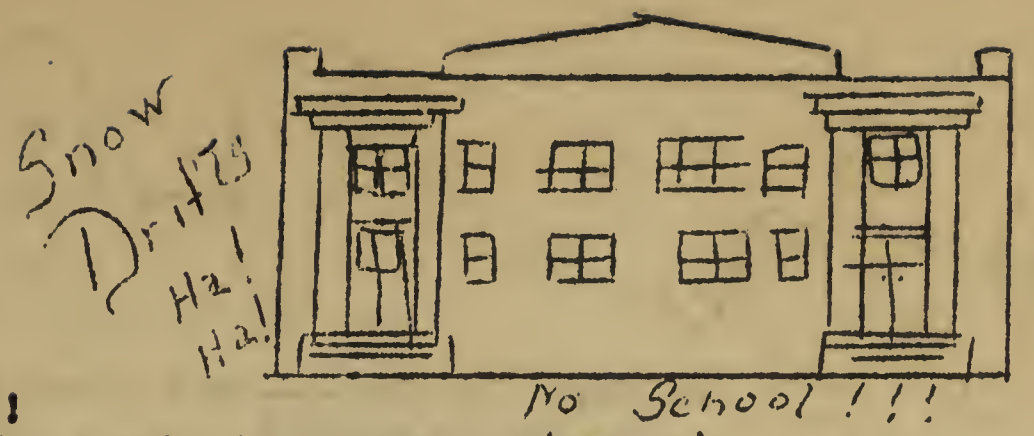
27 Alumni Banquet-----Good food----Good (?) play ---Angel Child----Something stinks!!!

JANUARY

1 What a way to start the year out---a blizzard. Here we are only half back in our seats after vacation-----wonder why so many empty seats--- couldn't have been the night before!

9 Mrs. Cooper's wedding anniversary--Second----.

11-13 County Tourney--another tourney for Chester-- Guess who Linlawn drew---that's right--Lagro--



---it never fails!!

15 Shortz following the tradition--carrots(cærets) on third finger---left hand.

17 Stitz and Garrison give reports in Civics 12--very good----at least they thought so!

18 Speaker---Dewitt Jones from Detroit Christian Church.

19 Jackson's last day of school-----sorry to see you go Bob!

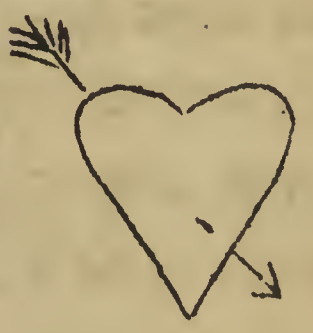
24 Sad story----NO SCHOOL-----Ha! Ha! Ha!-----I love those deep drifts---don't we???????

25 Happy Birthday, Mr. Sparks, Happy Birthday to you.

26 Back in the rut-----Laketon beats Linlawn.

31 School party---movie---skating----sandwiches--cocoa.

FEBRUARY



7 Seniors sponsor WOWO radio entertainers----Big Crowd!!

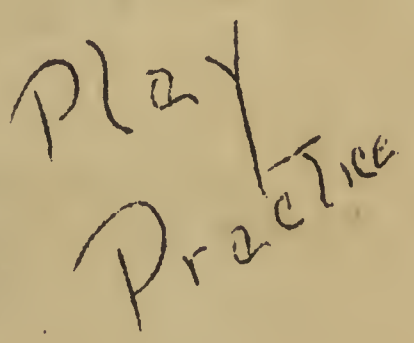
9 Ball game between Linlawn and Urbana---We Won.

14 Valentines Day---Lovers make goo-goo eyes today. Example----Jack and Effie???

22-24 Sectional Tourney---Yea Rah! Linlawn--Linlawn won its first sectional! Who am I kidding????? All kidding aside boys, we're really proud of you!

28 Not much doing this month was there???

MARCH



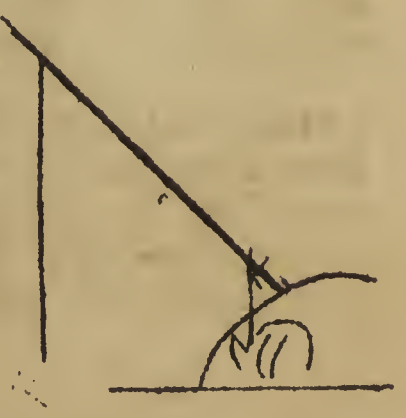
6 Birthdays come but once a year,
So Happy Birthday, John Deere. (John Peters!)

9 Carnival---sponsored by Jr's. and Sr's--------Total profit----$225 (approximately).

12 Trio from Manchester---Let's do this more often!

ALL THE REST OF THE MONTH****Play practice----and more play practice.

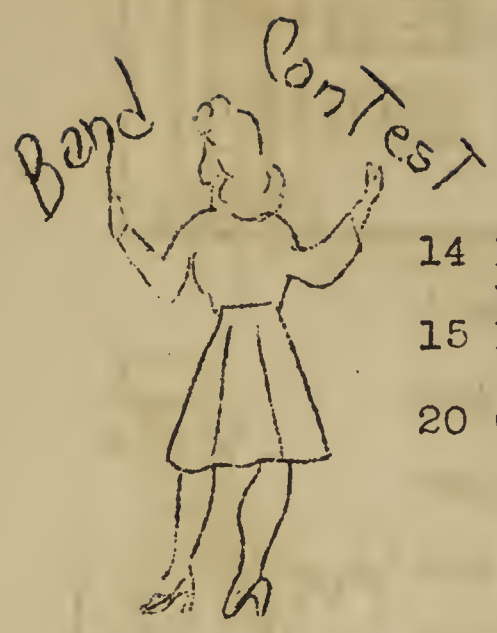
APRIL



3 Dress Rehearsal for senior play----Gosh! Are we nervous???

4 Senior play--"Hook, Line and Sinker"--- Listen to the audience laugh.

6 Juniors and seniors start on trip to Chicago--Oh, what fun--a wonderful time---why is everyone so tired??



14 Band Contest---Band goes to Fort Wayne----Hope we do it again!
15 Baccalaureate----3 more days of school for seniors.
20 Commencement-----Good Luck Seniors!!

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SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"HOOK, LINE AND SINKER!"

HARVEY HOOK,----------Jack Thompson
temporarily in charge of The Jolly Inn.
LESTER LINE,----------Dick Early
an old friend of Harvey's.
HAPPY JORDAN,----------Gene Custer
the clerk at the Inn.
SEPTIMUS SINKER,----------Abige Smith
whose wife troubles his life.
EDNA SINKER,----------Emmalou Wilson
Septimus's ball and chain.
MRS. AMELIA CROSSWORD,----------Donna Rife
who has a will of her own.
CHERRY RAYNARD,----------Emmalou Stitz
her sweet and pretty young niece.
BONITA SMALLEY,----------Betty Garrison
a young actress.
ANGEL BENEDICT,----------Evelyn Miller
who causes plenty of trouble.
MRS. MABEL HALLEM,----------Ruth Pollitt
whose arrival causes more trouble.

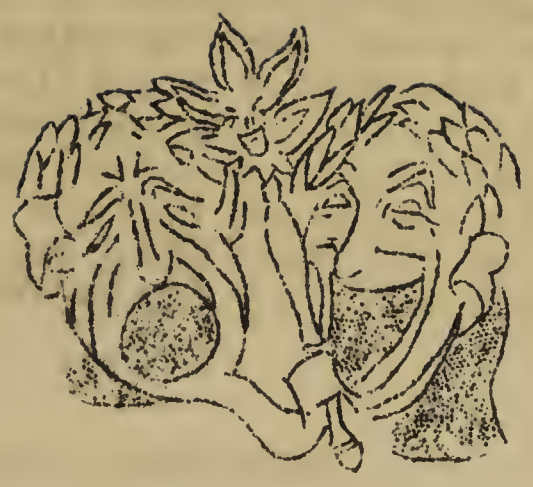
SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The entire action takes place in the parlor of the "Jolly Inn", a small summer resort hotel in New England.

TIME: the present

ACT I An afternoon in June.
ACT II One hour later.
ACT III Several hours later; evening.

After Act One Ruth Pollitt, Gene Custer, Jack Thompson Frances Custer and Maxine Vandegrift sang "Erie Canal" and "In My Garden." After the Second Ace a saxaphone quartet--Lois Mansfield, Miriam Eppley, Billy and Donna Rife played "Alice Blue Gown" and "Mary Lou."



JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

"PULLING THE CURTAIN"

This hilarious novelty play was given at the Linlawn High School gymnasium on the evening of October 24. The play was directed by Mrs. Gene Cooper.

CAST

Leffie Jewel Hunderstine, the president of the Pine Valley Ladies Aid----Martha A. Spitler
Mrs. Carrie Cadwaller, a widow----------Valette Eppley
Mr. Herman Sprechen, a butcher----------Lawrence Denney
Mr. Lucas Luxow, an ex-tragedian-----Traverse Shanafelt
Miss Lena Wells, a school teacher--------Frances Custer
Erie Drizzell, the village belle----------Sarah Elliott
Fonzy Donahue, one of her boy friends----------Bob Ward
Hobart Hanley, a young married man--------Jerry Stouffer
Betty, his wife----------Mary F. Barnett
Nora McClellan, who owns the Inn------Maxine Vandegrift
Johnny, her little boy----------Chuck Hoover
Leon Hunderstine----------Ronnie Reed
James Killian, the chief of police------Gordon Ridenour
Aunt Edna Dinwiddie, Nora's sister----------Rachel Dale
Ruby Lee Rakestraw, a dramatic aspirant--Martha A. Pond

"Pulling The Curtain" tells what happened when Leffie Jewell Hunderstine decided to produce her own play --"her own opus, so to speak"--a delicate English drama. Act One shows us at the first reading and casting; Act Two, the dress rehearsal--six months later; and Act Three the final performance. But, by the time the first two acts were finished the audience was so exhausted from laughing over Leffie's troubles at rehearsals it was difficult for them to believe the play was ever produced. The plot began when Carrie Cadwaller, who played "The Duchess of Wells," had her pocketbook stolen and Herman Sprechen, who acts "Lord Wheeler" with a German accent, accuses Leffie's henpecked husband of stealing it. Much of the novelty of the play lies in the fact that much of the action occurred in the aisles and amidst the audience.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

After the grind of semester exams the junior and senior high students gathered in the gym to hear Rev. Ware Wimberly, see the play "Angel Child" given by the speech class, and sing Christmas carols.

A few days before this, all of the students had drawn numbers--those who drew odd numbers bought a present for a boy and those who drew even numbers bought a present for a girl. At 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Santa Claus and her helpers handed out presents to the group. Everyone watched with eager eyes as one of the helpers carried a large present to Mrs. Stoddard---it was a box which contained a small bottle of Jergens lotion wrapped in several layers of paper.

At last all of the presents were given out and the bus drivers were waiting for us. As we went out of the assembly door Miss Baumgartner, Mr. Sparks, and Mr. Bechtold handed everyone either a cup of ice cream or an ice cream bar to start the Christmas vacation right.

SCHOOL PARTY

A SCHOOL PARTY! A GOOD TIME! EATS!

A school party for the high school was held January 31. The eighth grade because of their work in the bond drive was guest of honor.

Starting at 7 p.m. the party continued until 10 p.m. The seventh, eighth, and ninth grades saw the show "Flying High" with Joe E. Brown while the sophomores, juniors and seniors skated. As soon as the picture was

over the seventh, eighth, and ninth grades came to the gym to skate and the upperclassmen went to the assembly to see the show.

After seeing the show and skating everyone enjoyed refreshments of ham salad sandwiches and cocoa.

I'm sure everybody had lots of fun and will look forward to another school party next year.

PATRON'S DAY

On March 16 Linlawn held its annual "Big Dinner. The program was as follows:

PROGRAM

Star Spangled Banner - Band
This is My Country - H. S. Chorus
Band and Twirlers - (American Patrol)
Washington Post - Band
Songs - Grades 1-6 (2 numbers)
Lisha Overture - Band
Songs - 7th Grade (2 numbers)
Trio - (1 song)
Senior Play Skit
Songs - 8th Grade (2 numbers)
Present Dairy Team - Medal to Barnett
Volley Ball Game
Movie - Grades 1-9 in H.S. Assembly
Short Talk - Rev. Ware Wimberly
Business Meeting

SENIOR RECOGNITION

We give recognition to last years seniors for their scholarship, citizenship, activities, and athletics. They well deserve recognition for their high standing during their last year of school.

Martha Jane Stouffer-----Medal for Scholarship
Marjorie Emrick----------Medal for Citizenship
Robert Metzger-----------Medal for Activities
Burnell Barnett----------Medal for Athletics
Bob Stouffer-------------Medal for Athletics

They have left on their chosen paths of life, which will succeed if the future can be judged by the past. They were, and still are, an inspiration to us who have not yet begun our experiments with fate.

SCHOLARSHIP

Very few students receive the honor of achieving the highest standing in their class. Just one or two from each grade are able to march up and accept that honor. To those who last year proved their ability, we pause to say a few words in recognition.

Eugene Spitler	1	7th Grade Jr. H. S.
Barbara Whitehead	1	8th Grade Jr. H. S.
Lois Mansfield	1	9th Grade Sr. H. S.
Martha Ann Spitler	2	10th Grade Sr. H. S.
Sarah Elliott	2	10th Grade Sr. H. S.
Dick Early	1	11th Grade Sr. H. S.
Martha Jane Stouffer	3	12th Grade Sr. H. S. (Medal and Letter)

Last years scholarships were given to students who could compete with any other pupils from anywhere in the country. They did not just slip by with the highest grades in their classes. They made the highest scores possible. We wish to say to them "well done" in the past and "good luck" in the future.

LIBRARY

This year the library has been supervised by Mr. Sparks and his six librarians--Emmalou Stitz, senior; Martha Ann Spitler, Maxine Vandegrift, juniors; Lois Mansfield, sophomore; and Barbara Whitehead and Lavonne Shoemaker, freshmen.

We added only seven new books to the high school library the first semester. We have discontinued some of the less important magazines. Of all the books, the three most popular are--"The Robe", "How Green Was My Valley", and "All This And Heaven, Too." Two of these were made into movies. The three most popular magazines are--Readers' Digest, The Saturday Evening Post, and Popular Mechanics.

The junior high librarians are Jo Ann Kroft (eighth grade) and Janet Jo Waymire (seventh grade). They have added five books to their library.

We now have approximately 1500 books in our library and hope to have more by the end of the year. Everyone has helped us very much in taking care of the books, by paying fines promptly and by obeying the rules.

The librarians have enjoyed the past year and are looking forward to next year.

CARNIVAL

The juniors and seniors sponsored a carnival in order to make money for their junior and senior trip.

Entertainment during the evening consisted of a cake walk, womanless style show, bowling, movie, basketball and baseball throws, a dart game, and a popularity contest.

Candidates for the popularity contest were chosen from each class a few days before the carnival. They were as follows:

Freshman	Betty Barlow and Gary Fordyce
Sophomore	Jean Erlewein and Grayston Campbell
Junior	Sarah Elliott and Lawrence Denney
Senior	Betty Garrison and Tom Waymire

Tom Waymire and Betty Garrison were elected King and Queen, while Sarah Elliott and Lawrence Denney came in second.

BOND DRIVE

A CONTEST!!! From December 4-8 the Linlawn junior high and high school sold War Bonds. The class selling the largest amount was to be entertained by the faculty and the student body. The eighth grade won the contest, but the rest of the school did very well and deserves a great deal of credit for its share in the contest.

Seventh Grade	$ 168.75
*Eighth Grade	2,593.75
Ninth Grade	243.75
Tenth Grade	600.00
Eleventh Grade	1,312.50
Twelfth Grade	543.75
	$5,468.50

* A week after the bond drive the eighth grade sold another $1,000 bond.

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Several drops of IMAGINATION — Blend Thoroughly

Stir in a little ART work

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